

SENATE BILL 343

By Niceley

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 53,
Chapter 7, relative to exemptions for livestock
slaughter and processing.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated Section 53-7-209(a), is amended by adding
the following language as a new subdivision:

() Livestock producers acting in compliance with exemptions established in the
federal Meat Inspection Act. The department of agriculture shall maintain on its website
information for livestock producers concerning the federal exemptions for livestock
slaughter and processing to provide guidance as to the requirements for each federal
exemption and its limitations;

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming law, the public welfare requiring
it.